



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 6592***

LCO No. 4117



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:  
(PH)

***AN ACT CONCERNING CERTIFICATION OF CLASSICAL  
HOMEOPATHS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1       Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2013*) (a) The Commissioner of  
2       Public Health shall, not less than annually: (1) Obtain a list of classical  
3       homeopaths in the state that are certified by the Council for  
4       Homeopathic Certification and included in the council's directory; and  
5       (2) make such list available for public inspection.
- 6       (b) The Commissioner of Public Health shall establish certification  
7       requirements for classical homeopaths. Such requirements shall  
8       include, but need not be limited to: (1) Training, education and  
9       examination requirements for applicants for certification; and (2)  
10      continuing education requirements for certified classical homeopaths.
- 11      (c) Not later than July 1, 2014, no person shall engage in the practice  
12      of classical homeopathy unless the person has obtained a certification  
13      from the Department of Public Health in the form and manner  
14      prescribed by the commissioner pursuant to this section.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:
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Section 1	<i>October 1, 2013</i>	New section
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***Statement of Purpose:***

To require (1) the Commissioner of Public Health to publish a list of classical homeopaths certified by a national organization, (2) the commissioner to establish requirements for certification of classical homeopaths, and (3) require persons who practice classical homeopathy in this state on and after July 1, 2014, to obtain a certification from the Department of Public Health.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*